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Amendments to the Energy & Water Appropriations Bill

NOTE: Under an open rule new amendments may be offered without advanced notice.

Amendments Self-Executed Under the Rule:

Callahan -- amendment deletes Title I, Section 103 of the bill, which directs the Army Corps of Engineers to rework a nearly-completed watershed plan in Sacramento, California to include a feasibility study for Auburn Dam.

Amendments Printed in the Congressional Record:

Traficant (#1) -- amendment prohibits appropriated funds from being made available for any person or entity convicted of violating the Buy American Act.

Kucinich (#2) -- amendment reducing the National Nuclear Security Administration's (NNSA) Weapons Activities account by \$122.5 million (the bill provides \$5.1 billion, \$117.7 million more than last year and \$176.1 million below the request) while increasing the NNSA's Defense Nuclear Nonproliferation account by \$66 million (the bill provides \$845 million, \$26.9 million below last year and \$71.6 million above the request).

Tancredo (#4) -- amendment that strikes Title I, Section 105. This section mandates a 65 percent federal/35 percent local cost-share ratio for beach replenishment. The President had proposed reversing the cost-share requirement.

Other Possible Amendments:

Berkley -- amendment that transfers \$500,000 in Title III to the Nuclear Waste Technical Review Board to study the actions taken by the Secretary of Energy regarding nuclear waste transport to Yucca Mountain and to hold hearings, take testimony and receive other evidence from the Department with respect to proposed transportation routes. **Should Be Subject to a Point of Order.**